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BEFORE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER OF THE STATE OF UTAH

COMPLAINANT: : NOTICE OF INFORMAL ADJUDICATIVE PROCEEDING

UTAH INSURANCE DEPARTMENT : AND ORDER

RESPONDENT: :

:

JUDY NEEDLEMAN PRAGER
5820 Palm Tree Rd.
Plantation, FL 33317

: Enf. Case No. _2306_

The Utah Insurance Department has commenced this informal adjudicative proceeding pursuant to Utah Code Annotated §§ 31A-2-201 and 63-46b-3 and Utah Administrative Code Rule R590-160. Based upon information contained in agency files or known to the Commissioner, the Commissioner makes the following:

FINDINGS OF FACT

- 1. Respondent is a non-resident insurance agent authorized to do the business of insurance in the State of Utah holding License number 243414.
- 2. On or about July 30, 2008, the California Insurance Department took administrative action against the Respondent, limiting her license, assessing a significant monetary penalty jointly with an agency of \$70,000.00 total.

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3. Respondent failed to notify the department within 30 days of the California action becoming final.

Having entered his Findings of Fact, the Commissioner now enters his:

CONCLUSION OF LAW

1. In failing to notify the department of an administrative action taken against her in another state within 30 day of such action becoming final, Respondent violated Utah Code Annotated § 31A-23a-105(2).

Based upon the foregoing Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law, the Commissioner now enters the following:

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

- 1. Respondent is assessed an administrative forfeiture in the amount of \$500.00. Said forfeiture shall be paid no later than ten (10) days after the date this Order becomes final.
- 2. This Order shall become final fifteen (15) days after the date of mailing unless a written request for a hearing is received from the Respondent in the offices of the department prior to that date. A written request for a hearing shall be signed by the person making the request and shall state the basis for the relief requested.

NOTIFICATION

If you request a hearing regarding this matter, the department will be represented by M.

Gale Lemmon, Assistant Attorney General, State Office Building, Room 3110, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114, Telephone Number (801) 538-3800. Failure to request a hearing will be considered a failure to exhaust administrative remedies and will preclude any further administrative or judicial review or appeal of this matter.

You are further notified that a failure to obey an Order of the commissioner may subject you to further penalties, including forfeitures of up to \$2,500.00 per violation and the suspension or revocation of your license and the filing of an action in District Court, which may impose forfeitures of up to \$10,000.00 per day for continued violation.

You are further notified that other jurisdictions in which you may be licensed may require that you report this action to them.

Questions regarding this Adjudicative Proceeding should be directed to Connie S. Nowland, at the Utah Insurance Department (801) 538-3040.

DATED THIS 31 st day of December, 2008.

D. KENT MICHIE

INSURANCE COMMISSIONER

MARK KLEINFIELD, J.D.

ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

Utah Insurance Department

State Office Building, Room 3110

Salt Lake City, Utah 84114

Telephone (801) 538-3800

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I do hereby certify that on this date I mailed, by regular mail, postage prepaid a true and correct copy of the attached:

NOTICE OF INFORMAL ADJUDICATIVE PROCEEDING AND ORDER

To the following:

Judy Needleman Prager 5820 Palm Tree Road Plantation, FL 33317

DATED this 31 st day of December 2008.

Linda Hardy

Court Clerk

Utah Department of Insurance State Office Building, Room 3110 Salt Lake City, UT 84114-6901

UTAH Invoice - Original

Printed Date: December 31, 2008 Invoice Date: December 31, 2008

Balance Due: \$500.00

Due Date: January 25, 2009

Invoice ID: 401863 Payor ID: 130927

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FORT LAUDERDALE FL 33316

E-case 2306

Item DescriptionAmount12/31/2008Monetary Penalty Individual\$500.00

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Original Amount Due \$500.00

UTAH Invoice - Original

Invoice Date: December 31, 2008

Balance Due: \$500.00

Due Date: January 25, 2009

Invoice ID: 401863 Payor ID: 130927

Payor Name: PRAGER, JUDY

NEEDELMAN

Make checks payable to: Utah Insurance Department

Send payment to:

Utah Insurance Department 3110 State Office Building Salt Lake City, UT 84114-6901